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Honorable James H. Welsh Commissioner of Conservation Department of Natural Resources Office of Conservation P. O. Box 94275 Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

RE:

L Sand, Reservoir B, SUA L-3 Zone, Reservoir A, SUC LAKE WASHINGTON FIELD Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana

Dear Sir:

Application is hereby made on behalf of Hilcorp Energy Company to the Commissioner of Conservation for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the L Sand, Reservoir B, SUA and the L-3 Zone, Reservoir A, SUC in the Lake Washington Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana.

FOR THE L SAND, RESERVOIR B, SUA

- 1. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of oil and gas from the L Sand, Reservoir B, SUA, in the Lake Washington Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana.
- 2. To create a single drilling and production unit for this sand and to force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the unit so created.
 - 3. To designate a unit operator and a unit well for the unit so created, as may be appropriate.
- 4. To provide that any future wells drilled to the L Sand, Reservoir B, SUA, within or outside of the unit created herein, should be located in accordance with the provisions of LAC 43:XIX.1901 et seq. (Statewide Order No. 29-E).
- 5. To provide that the Commissioner may reclassify the reservoir by supplemental order and without the necessity of a public hearing should such reclassification be warranted, based on evidence furnished the Commissioner.
 - 6. To discuss any other matters that may be pertinent to this application.

The L Sand, Reservoir B, SUA, in the Lake Washington Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being that oil and gas bearing sand encountered between the depths of 15,026' and 15,076' (electrical log measurements) in the Hilcorp Energy Company (formerly Phillips Petroleum Company) - LL & E No. 12 Well (SN 215506) located in Section 38, Township 19 South, Range 27 East, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana.

FOR THE L-3 ZONE, RESERVOIR A, SUC

- 1. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of oil and gas from the L-3 Zone, Reservoir A, SUC in the Lake Washington Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana.
- 2. To create an additional drilling and production unit for this zone and to force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the unit so created.
 - 3. To designate a unit operator and a unit well for the unit so created, as may be appropriate.
 - 4. To discuss any other matters that may be pertinent to this application.

The L-3 Zone, Reservoir A, SUC, in the Lake Washington Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being that oil and gas bearing zone encountered between the depths of 16,453' and 16,594' (electrical log measurements) in the Hilcorp Energy Company (formerly Phillips Petroleum Company) - LL & E No. 12 Well (SN 215506) located in Section 38, Township 19 South, Range 27 East, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana.

In addition to furnishing the legal notice to all Interested Parties, the applicant will provide for <u>POSTING</u> of the legal notice of the hearing and unit plats in a prominent place in the area of the Lake Washington Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, and will cause the legal notice of the hearing to be <u>PUBLISHED</u> in a newspaper of general circulation published in the vicinity of the Lake Washington Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, at least fifteen (15) days before the hearing date.

Any pertinent data relating to the subject application can be obtained, AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY, from Cambe Geological Services, Inc., 6300 Westpark, Suite 400, Houston, Texas 77057 (713-659-8363).

In compliance with the Rules of Procedure, a preapplication notice was given, but no request for a conference was received, and therefore, none was held.

There are attached hereto and made a part hereof plats outlining the proposed units and a list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties to whom this application is being sent. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, such list of parties and proposed unit plats (being the same plats attached to the February 1, 2007 preapplication notice) are being furnished ONLY to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation. However, said plats and the list of parties will be provided to any party requesting copies. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties.

Finally, there is enclosed our check on behalf of the applicant, Hilcorp Energy Company. in the sum of \$1510.00 payable to the Office of Conservation and representing the required hearing application fee.

Sincerely,

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Interested Parties, Interested Owners and Represented Parties



